IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Cr.Misc. No.35213 of 2008
SAVITRI DEVI & ORS
Versus
THE STATE OF BIHAR & ANR
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2. **26.08.2008** Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the State.

Petitioners are accused in a case for the offences registered under Sections 498(A), 323 and 379 of the Indian Penal Code and Section 4 of the Dowry Prohibition Act.

It is submitted that the allegations have been made by the complainant after 20 years of her marriage for ulterior purpose. As a matter of fact, petitioner himself living separately from the complainant. It is further submitted that petitioner no.1 is mother-in-law who is aged about 80 years and some other family members of the in-laws have been made accused without any specific allegation against them.

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Considering the submissions as made above, it is directed that in the event of arrest or surrender within a period of four weeks from today, the petitioners, namely, Savitri Devi, Satya Narayan Malakar, Sarju Malakar, Meena Devi, Sushila Devi and Sunil Malakar be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs. 10,000/- (ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the S.D.J.M., Jehanabad in connection with Complaint Case No. 689 of 2007 corresponding to Trial No. 1789 of 2007 subject to the conditions as laid down under section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Jagdish/- **(Shailesh Kumar Sinha,J.)**